

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

TEXAS JUVENILE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT

On October 26, 2021, Daniel Holmes, a former TJJD employee, pled guilty to Violation of the Civil Rights of a Person in Custody; Improper Sexual Activity; Person in Custody (TX PC 39.04) and one count of Indecency with a Child - Lewd Exhibition (TX PC 21.11). In the plea agreement, Holmes acknowledged that both acts were committed while the victim was in secure confinement at a TJJD facility in Brown County. Holmes had previously been arrested by the OIG for Sexual Performance of a Child and Possession of Child Pornography for alleged acts following the victim's release on parole. In the guilty plea for both offenses, Holmes agreed to 6 years of deferred adjudication and community supervision. He will be required to register as a sex offender while on supervision and for an additional 10 years following the term of his probation, a \$600 fine, and perform community service.

The Office of the Inspector General is statutorily responsible to investigate criminal allegations involving TJJD youth, TJJD employees, or T.J.J.D. facilities. Anyone can report allegations of misconduct to the Incident Reporting Center by calling a 24 hour a day toll free hotline 1-866-477-8354, or by emailing a complaint to TJJD.IRC@tjjd.texas.gov.

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